

WORKFORCE SERVICES INFORMATION NOTICE

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: WAIVER OF 80 PERCENT OBLIGATION REQUIREMENT FOR PROGRAM YEAR 2014-15

The requirement for Local Workforce Development Areas (Local Areas) to obligate at least 80 percent of their *Workforce Investment Act* program dollars by the end of the Program Year (PY) is being waived. This waiver only applies to PY 2014-15, funds which must be fully expended by June 30, 2016.

This waiver is being granted in order to provide Local Areas with as much flexibility and resources as possible to implement the *Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act*. For guidance on the funds utilization requirements for PY 2015-16 funds, please refer to Directive [WSD15-08](#) issued November 18, 2015.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact your assigned [Regional Advisor](#).

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